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## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

| •                 | ) AUDIT REFERRAL 12-10 and PRE ) MUR 549 te Republican Party and ) s official capacity as ) )   |
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|                   | <u>CERTIFICATION</u>  |
| I, Shelley        | E. Garr, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive   |
| session, do hereb | y certify that on June 11, 2013, the Commission took the following actions in   |
| the above-caption | ned matter:   |
| 1. Failed         | by a vote of 2-3 to:  |
| a.                | Open a MUR.   |
| b.                | Merge AR 12-10 and Pre-MUR 549 into the new MUR.  |
| c.                | Find reason to believe that Washington State Republican Party and Dan Brady in his official capacity as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b).                       |
| d.                | Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated April 3, 2013.  |
| e.                | Enter into conciliation with Washington State Republican Party and Dan Brady in his official capacity as treasurer prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. |
| f.                |   |
| g.                | Approve the appropriate letter.   |

Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, and Petersen dissented.

- 2. Decided by a vote of 5-0 to:
  - a. Open a MUR.

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- b. Merge AR 12-10 and Pre-MUR 549 into the new MUR.
- c. Find reason to believe that Washington State Republican Party and Dan Brady in his official capacity as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b).
- d. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated April 3, 2013.
- e. Enter into conciliation with Washington State Republican Party and Dan Brady in his official capacity as treasurer prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.

f.

g. Approve the appropriate letter.

Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Date

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Deputy Secretary of the Commission